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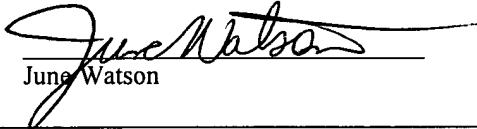
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Mark Roberts
Serial No: 09/775,909
Confirmation No: 9660
Filing Date: February 2, 2001
For: NON-TOXIC DOUBLE MUTANT FORMS OF PERTUSSIS TOXIN
AS ADJUVANT —

Examiner: Duffy, Patricia Ann
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed April 27, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

A complete listing of the claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.

Applicant respectfully requests a **three month extension of time** for responding to the Office Action.